

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK**

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LESLY BERNARD,

Plaintiff,

- against -

ORDER

CV-16-4716 (ST)

QPH PLUMBING & HEATING INC.,

Defendant.

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TISCIONE, Magistrate Judge:

Having reviewed the settlement agreement and Plaintiff's letter dated April 2, 2017, Docket Entry [16], I find that "the agreement reflects a reasonable compromise of disputed issues [rather] than a mere waiver of statutory rights brought about by an employer's overreaching." *Le v. SITA Information Networking Computing, USA, Inc.*, 2008 WL 724155 (E.D.N.Y. Mar. 13, 2008)(internal quotations and citation omitted). See also *Cheeks v. Freeport Pancake House, Inc.*, 796 F.3d 199 (2d Cir. 2015). The settlement is therefore approved, the case is dismissed with prejudice and is closed.

SO ORDERED.

s/

STEVEN L. TISCIONE
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE

Dated: April 24, 2017
Brooklyn, New York